Recognition of the St. Berchman's High School, Changanacherry.

152 *Mr. J. John Kattakayam : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether explanation has been called for as to why the recognition of the St. Berchman's High School, Changanacherry, should not be withdrawn ;

(*b*) what are the reasons for such a procedure on the part of the authorities concerned ;

(*c*) whether orders have been issued by the authorities to the managing body of the school for granting transfer certificates ; and

(*d*) the number of students for whom transfer certificates were given accordingly ?

Mr. C. V. Chandrasekharan : (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Laxity in the maintenance of discipline.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) Eleven.

Retirement of a teacher in the Shencotta High School.

153. *Mr. J. John Kattakayam : Will the Government be pleased to state whether the fact that a first grade teacher of the Shencotta High School was to retire from service was not brought to the notice of the authorities till the day previous to that of his retirement ?

Mr. C. V. Chandrasekharan: No.

English Schools in Muvattupuzha taluk.

154. *Mr. Tariatu Kunjitomman : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the number of departmental boys' English schools and recognised boys' English schools conducted by managers in the Muvattupuzha taluk, and the respective communities of the managers who conduct the latter.

(*b*) the reason for abolishing the departmental boys' English school at Kothamangalam ;

(*c*) the number of students in the school when it was abolished and the number of Catholics, Jacobites and other communities among them ;

(*d*) whether they will lay on the table, a statement, by caste, of the students undergoing instruction at present in the girls' English school at Kothamangalam ; and

(*e*) whether anybody has applied for a boys' English school being opened at Kothamangalam under the management of Catholics ?

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